FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. H. 3095

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TO: The Honorable Leon Howard, Chairman, House Medical, Military, Public and Municipal

Affairs Committee

FROM: Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board

ANALYSTS: R.J. Stein

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AUTHOR: Representative Pinson PRIMARY CODE CITE: SUBJECT: Military ID Acceptable for Purchase of Ephedrine or Pseudoephedrine

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

House Bill 3095 amends Section 44-53-398(D)(1) of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, as added by Act 275 of 2006, relating to the sale of products containing ephedrine or pseudoephedrine. The Bill authorizes retailers to accept a valid military identification in lieu of a government issued photo ID showing the person's date of birth.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

Enactment would allow retail pharmacists to accept a military ID (as well as a government issued photo ID) prior to the sale of ephedrine-containing products. There is no cost associated with this Bill. There is no fiscal impact on the Department of Health & Environmental Control nor on the State General Fund or on Federal or Other funds.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

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